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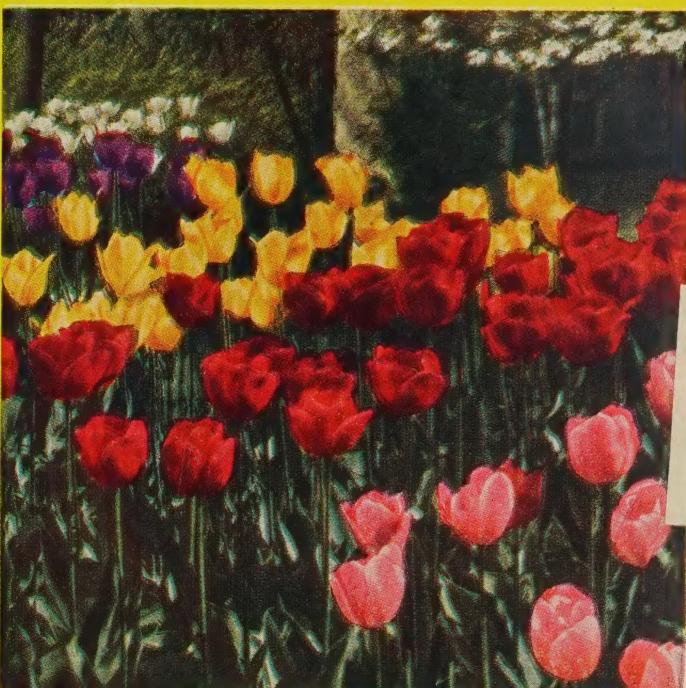
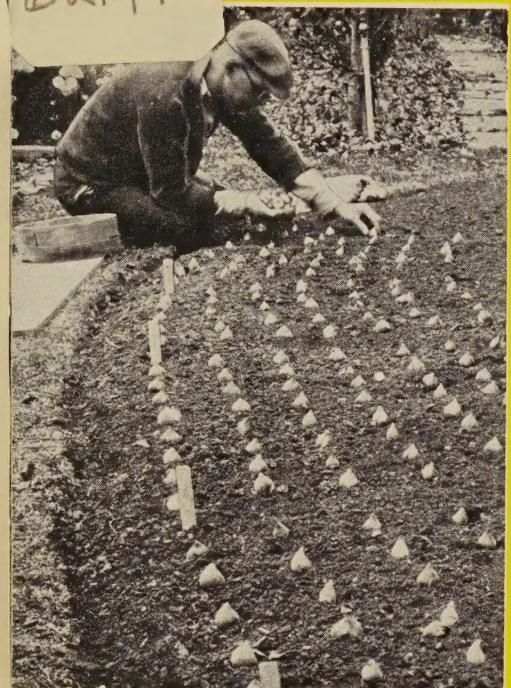
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COLLECTION A

10 Bulbs each of the above 5 colors

Separately packed
and labeled **50 for \$4.00**

LONG-STEMMED DARWIN TULIPS BY COLOR

Delicate Pink
Bright Red

12 for \$1.10

Deep Purple
Snow-White

100 for \$8.00

Golden Yellow

25 for \$2.10

ARVISTA GARDENS

ROY V. ASHLEY, Owner

BATTLE CREEK, MICHIGAN

168 Grand Boulevard

DIRECT FROM HOLLAND TEN BLUE RIBBON DARWIN TULIPS

COLLECTION H

10 bulbs each of the ten magnificent varieties illustrated on these pages.
All are long-stemmed varieties, blooming at the same time.

100 BULBS for only \$9.25

SEPARATELY PACKED and LABELED

DARWIN TULIPS

The most useful Tulips for garden decoration and cutting are found in the Darwin class. Typical features are the tall, upright stems and the large, cup-shaped flowers. Fill beds with these Tulips; plant them in borders, in front of evergreens, or along the edge of shrubbery and you will be assured of a colorful spring garden during May.

	12	100
CHARLES NEEDHAM. Brilliant scarlet. One of the finest red Darwins.	\$1.30	\$9.50
CITY OF HAARLEM. Intense deep scarlet, dark blue base.	1.25	9.00
CLARA BUTT. Beautiful salmon-pink. Favorite pink Tulip.	1.30	9.25
DEMETER. Large, well-shaped, deep violet-blue flower. New.	1.55	11.50
DUKE OF WELLINGTON. Pure white; long stem. Flowers are of excellent substance.	1.40	10.00
FARNCOMBE SANDERS. Scarlet with clear white base.	1.15	8.50
INGLEScombe YELLOW. Canary-yellow with yellow anthers.	1.15	8.50
INSURPASSABLE. Lilac; large flower.	1.45	10.50
LA TULIPE NOIRE. Velvety deep maroon-black.	1.25	9.00
NEW ORLEANS. Bordeaux-red. Unsurpassable beauty.	1.25	9.00
NIPHETOS. Ivory-yellow; large flower of good substance.	1.15	8.50
PRIDE OF HAARLEM. Cerise with blue base.	1.10	8.25
PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG. Very pleasing old-rose. Novelty.	1.25	9.00
PRINCESS ELIZABETH. Pink with white base.	1.15	8.50
SCARLET LEADER. Scarlet with pronounced blue heart. A magnificent variety in every way.	1.30	9.25
SUNKIST. Deep golden yellow.	1.20	8.75
THE BISHOP. Deep heliotrope. The best in this color.	1.30	9.50
THE PEACH. Peach color with lighter edges. A remarkable novelty.	1.15	8.50
WM. Pitt. Crimson with purplish bloom.	1.15	8.50
ZWANENBURG. Pure white flower of wonderful texture.	1.30	9.50

The garden can be made into a veritable fairy-land by scattering the various varieties in groups about the grounds. Most picturesque in front of shrubs and evergreens.

COLLECTION J

3 bulbs each of above **60 for \$6.00**
20 Darwin varieties Separately packed and labeled



RAINBOW MIXTURE OF DARWIN TULIPS

This mixture is well proportioned as to color—harmonizing, bright and striking. Besides the beautiful effect this mixture produces in the garden, it gives a wealth of flowers for cutting.

100 BULBS for only \$7.25
12 for \$1.00 25 for \$1.90

50 for \$4.75

Separately packed and labeled

DUKE OF WELLINGTON
12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00

CLARA BUTT
12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$9.25

THE BISHOP
12 for \$1.30;
100 for \$9.50

INGLEScombe YELLOW
12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.50

COLLECTION K
10 bulbs each of the 5 varieties illustrated above

SCARLET LEADER
12 for \$1.30;
100 for \$9.25

DUKE OF WELLINGTON
CLARA BUTT
THE BISHOP
INGLEScombe YELLOW
SCARLET LEADER

50 for \$4.75

Separately packed and labeled

INSURPASSABLE
12 for \$1.45; 100 for \$10.50

PRIDE OF HAARLEM
12 for \$1.10; 100 for \$8.25

SUNKIST
12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.75

NEW ORLEANS
12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$9.00

COLLECTION L
10 bulbs each of the 5 varieties illustrated above

INSURPASSABLE
PRIDE OF HAARLEM
SUNKIST
NEW ORLEANS
CHAS. NEEDHAM

50 for \$4.70

Separately packed and labeled.

CHAS. NEEDHAM
12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$9.50

• Genuine Holland Tulips •

COTTAGE TULIPS

These flowers are mostly long and pointed. The delicate colors harmonize perfectly with the other May-flowering Tulips. All are excellent for cutting and many varieties are fragrant.

	12	100
Advance. Orange-scarlet.....	\$1.15	\$8.50
Belle Jaune. Deep yellow.....	1.15	8.50
Marjorie Bowen. Buff and salmon.....	1.30	9.25
Marshall Haig. Bright scarlet.....	1.30	9.25
Mrs. John T. Scheepers. Pure yellow.....	1.15	8.50
Ossi Oswalda. White flushed pink.....	1.30	9.25
Themis. Pure white.....	1.30	9.25

Collection M Separately packed and labeled
5 bulbs each of the above 7
Cottage varieties 35 for **\$3.40**

SPLENDID MIXTURE OF COTTAGE TULIPS

Recommended for groups in the garden and especially for cut flowers. Their long stems are particularly suitable for bouquets. A select assortment of fine delicate colors and graceful flowers.

12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$1.90; 100 for \$7.25

PARROT TULIPS

The most fantastic of all Tulips with their fringed and scalloped petals, oddly twisted and feathered. Bloom in May.

Blue Parrot. Bright violet, flushed steel-blue. Very large flower.

12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$9.25

Fantasy. Clear rose-pink with apple-green streaks on outside petals, which are laciniated, fringed and scalloped.

12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$9.50

Sunshine. Pure golden yellow. Deeply laciniated flower on medium tall stem.

12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.25

Therese. Fiery rose-scarlet; large flower on tall, strong stem.

12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.75

Violet Queen. Lilac-blue with white base. A delicate, lovely color.

12 for \$1.45; 100 for \$10.60

Collection O Separately packed and labeled
5 bulbs each of the above 5
Parrot varieties 25 for **\$3.20**

SPLENDID MIXTURE OF OLD PARROT TULIPS

A brilliant mixture of the well-known Parrot Tulips of old, in the most different and whimsical shapes.

12 for 95c; 25 for \$1.85; 100 for \$7.00



PARROT TULIP
FANTASY
12 for \$1.30
100 for 9.50

BREEDER TULIPS

A race of tall, majestic Tulips, generally of subdued color. Many varieties in this class are unrivaled for beauty of tone and form. They are the true aristocrats of the Tulip family.

	12	100
Baroda. Bordeaux-red.....	\$1.35	\$9.70
Dillenburg. Salmon-orange.....	1.15	8.50
Georges Grappe. Violet-blue.....	1.35	9.70
Indian Chief. Indian-brown.....	1.35	9.70
Mr. J. J. Bouwman. Orange-red	1.35	9.70

Collection N Separately packed and labeled
5 bulbs each of the above 5
Breeder varieties 25 for **\$2.60**

REMBRANDT TULIPS

Rightly named after the celebrated painter. Each flower in itself is a wonderful combination of colors. Every bloom is fantastically striped and feathered.

Cordell Hull. Red. Beautifully flamed and striped rosy pink.

12 for \$1.05; 100 for \$7.75

12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.25

12 for \$1.15; 100 for \$8.50

12 for \$1.20; 100 for \$8.75

12 for \$1.70; 100 for \$12.75

12 for \$1.35; 100 for \$9.90

12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$9.50

12 for \$1.45; 100 for \$10.60

12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$10.00

12 for \$1.45; 100 for \$10.60

12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$11.00

12 for \$1.55; 100 for \$11.50

12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$12.00

12 for \$1.65; 100 for \$12.50

12 for \$1.70; 100 for \$13.00

12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$13.50

12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$14.00

12 for \$1.85; 100 for \$14.50

12 for \$1.90; 100 for \$15.00

12 for \$1.95; 100 for \$15.50

12 for \$2.00; 100 for \$16.00

12 for \$2.05; 100 for \$16.50

12 for \$2.10; 100 for \$17.00

12 for \$2.15; 100 for \$17.50

12 for \$2.20; 100 for \$18.00

12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$18.50

12 for \$2.30; 100 for \$19.00

12 for \$2.35; 100 for \$19.50

12 for \$2.40; 100 for \$20.00

12 for \$2.45; 100 for \$20.50

12 for \$2.50; 100 for \$21.00

12 for \$2.55; 100 for \$21.50

12 for \$2.60; 100 for \$22.00

12 for \$2.65; 100 for \$22.50

12 for \$2.70; 100 for \$23.00

12 for \$2.75; 100 for \$23.50

12 for \$2.80; 100 for \$24.00

12 for \$2.85; 100 for \$24.50

12 for \$2.90; 100 for \$25.00

12 for \$2.95; 100 for \$25.50

12 for \$3.00; 100 for \$26.00

12 for \$3.05; 100 for \$26.50

12 for \$3.10; 100 for \$27.00

12 for \$3.15; 100 for \$27.50

12 for \$3.20; 100 for \$28.00

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12 for \$3.60; 100 for \$32.00

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12 for \$4.00; 100 for \$36.00

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12 for \$5.00; 100 for \$46.00

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12 for \$5.10; 100 for \$47.00

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12 for \$5.20; 100 for \$48.00

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12 for \$6.00; 100 for \$56.00

12 for \$6.05; 100 for \$56.50

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12 for \$7.00; 100 for \$66.00

12 for \$7.05; 100 for \$66.50

12 for \$7.10; 100 for \$67.00

12 for \$7.15; 100 for \$67.50

12 for \$7.20; 100 for \$68.00

12 for \$7.25; 100 for \$68.50

12 for \$7.30; 100 for \$69.00

12 for \$7.35; 100 for \$69.50

12 for \$7.40; 100 for \$70.00

12 for \$7.45; 100 for \$70.50

12 for \$7.50; 100 for \$71.00

12 for \$7.55; 100 for \$71.50

12 for \$7.60; 100 for \$72.00

12 for \$7.65; 100 for \$72.50

Heralds of Spring



PUSCHKINIA LIBANOTICA. Produces a wealth of white flowers marked with china-blue stripes. Grows 5 inches tall. Blooms in April. Does well in sunny and shady positions. 12 for 35c; 25 for 60c; 100 for \$2.00

CHIONODOXA. Will produce in early spring an abundance of pretty, star-shaped, lively blue flowers with white hearts. Grows 5 inches tall. 12 for 30c; 25 for 55c; 100 for \$1.75

ERYTHRONIUM (Dog's-Tooth Violet). Plants with richly mottled leaves and small, lily-like, yellow flowers. Particularly suited for woodlands and shaded corners of the rockery. Grows 6 inches tall and blooms in April. 12 for \$1.05; 25 for \$2.00; 100 for \$7.50

FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS. Produces in April pendent, bell-shaped flowers in curiously checkered shades of white, yellow, purple and brown on stems 12 inches tall. 12 for 35c; 25 for 65c; 100 for \$2.25

GRAPE HYACINTHS (Muscari) *Armeniacum.* Finest and clearest blue. 12 for 40c; 25 for 75c; 100 for \$2.50 *Album.* Pure white 12 for 80c; 25 for \$1.50; 100 for \$5.50

HYACINTHUS PLUMOSUS. Unique feathery flowers in the shape of a plume; the color is beautiful violet-blue. Fine for rockery. Grows 8 to 10 inches tall and blooms in May. 12 for 55c; 25 for \$1.00; 100 for \$3.75



Dutch Iris, Mixed. 100 for \$3.00

DUTCH IRIS

Large flowers on strong stems, which make them not only preferable for cutting but also effective in the flower garden, in beds and groups. For best effect plant them close together. They come into bloom in June. Dutch Iris may be left in the ground for years in succession if planted in a sunny location.

Golden Harvest. Soft golden yellow. 12 low \$0 50 \$3 25

H. C. Van Vliet. Sky-blue with yellow blotch. 55 3 75

Imperator. Dark blue with orange-yellow blotch. 50 3 25

Wedgwood. Standards dark blue; falls pale blue. Fine for forcing. 65 4 50

White Excelsior. Pure white. 55 3 50

Inexpensive Mixture of Dutch Iris. This mixture of all colors is very reasonably priced so you can plant them generously. If you do so with a view to cut flowers, you will have a wealth of blooms for cutting.

25 for 85c; 100 for \$3.00

COLLECTION U 10 bulbs each of the above
Separately packed and labeled
5 Dutch Iris varieties . . . 50 for \$2.10

HARDY LILIES

Lilies do best in the hardy border or among shrubbery. Any rich garden soil with good drainage will do. Most Lilies delight in a sunny location but prefer to have the soil around the base of the plant somewhat shaded. Once established, they will increase in beauty each year.

Candidum (Madonna Lily). Pure white. Blooms June. Height 4 feet. \$1 30 \$4 75

Henryi. Apricot-yellow. Blooms August. Height 3 to 5 feet. 2 00 7 50

Longiflorum (Easter Lily). Pure white, trumpet-shaped flowers on 2-foot stems. Blooms July. 1 15 4 00

Regale. White, outside lilac-pink. Blooms July. Height 3 to 5 feet. 1 10 3 75

Speciosum Rubrum. Rose-pink, spotted crimson. Blooms August-Sept. Height 3 to 4 feet. 2 55 9 75

Tenuifolium (Coral Lily). Coral-red. Blooms June. Height 18 inches. 70 2 50

COLLECTION V One bulb each of the above
Separately packed and labeled
6 Lily Varieties 6 for \$2.80

Rock-Garden COLLECTION W

Early spring-flowering bulbs, all suitable for the rock-garden. All are hardy and will remain for years.

5 **Kaufmanniana Tulips**

5 **Eichleri Tulips**

5 **Clusiana Tulips**

5 **Golden Jonquils**

5 **Snowdrops**

10 **Blue Grape Hyacinths**

10 **Crocus, Mixed Colors**

10 **Hyacinthus Plumbosus**

10 **Scilla Sibirica**

10 **Scilla Campanulata**

75 for \$3.65

Separately packed and labeled.

DELIVERY. Prices include transportation charges.

GUARANTEE. All bulbs are guaranteed to be true to name and sure to bloom.

CULTIVATION. Easily followed instructions enclosed with every shipment.



COLLECTION X
10 bulbs each of the
above 5 Crocus va-
rieties

50 for \$1.30

Separately packed
and labeled

AS ILLUSTRATED ABOVE:

	12	100
Purpurea Grandiflora.....	\$0 35	\$2 10
Queen of the Blues.....	40	2 30
Snowstorm.....	40	2 30
Striped Beauty.....	40	2 30
Yellow Mammoth.....	40	2 30

CROCUS

MIXED COLORS

25 for 45¢ 1000 for \$14.00

100 for \$1.50

FOR NATURALIZING

These bear giant flowers of fine quality,
each bulb producing several blooms. Once
planted, flower more abundantly every year.

Pure White
Golden Yellow
Sky-Blue

Glossy Purple
Variegated Striped

Any above, single color

20 for 50¢; 100 for \$1.75

COLLECTION Y
20 bulbs each of
the above
5 Crocus colors

100 for \$2.00

Separately packed
and labeled